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MEMORANDUM FOR: DEPUTY DIRECTOR

As the result of a survey of the Assistant Director high level contacts in the Government (see attached) the following conclusions are submitted:

- a. These contacts seem to be bona fide and necessary.
- b. Because earlier Agency regulations prohibited high level contacts there is little probability of difficulties.
- c. There may not be enough high level contacts by some of the Assistant Directors.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That any proposed new high level contacts should be called to the attention of the Assistant Director for Intelligence Coordination who would inform the Deputy and submit a recommendation.
2. The Assistant Director for Intelligence Coordination should explore with the AD's the advisability of establishing some high level contacts where none now exist. If so preceding paragraph 1 above should obtain.

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